

(1) Interrogatories or answers to interrogatories, and depositions;  
 (2) FCC forms or applications;  
 (3) Transcripts;  
 (4) Contracts and reports;  
 (5) Letters; or  
 (6) Hearing exhibits, and exhibits or appendices accompanying any document or pleading submitted to the Commission.

(e) In addition to the provisions above, pleadings related to Part 22 of the rules, must also be submitted on microfiche. See §22.6 for specifications.

(f)(1) In the following types of proceedings, all pleadings, including permissible ex parte submissions, notices of ex parte presentations, comments, reply comments, and petitions for reconsideration and replies thereto, may be filed in electronic format:

- (i) General rulemaking proceedings other than broadcast allotment proceedings;
- (ii) Notice of inquiry proceedings; and
- (iii) Petition for rulemaking proceedings (except broadcast allotment proceedings).

(2) For purposes of paragraphs (b) and (c) of this section, and any prescribed pleading lengths, the length of any document filed in electronic form shall be equal to the length of the document if printed out and formatted according to the specifications of paragraph (a) of this section, or shall be no more than 250 words per page.

NOTE: The table of contents and the summary pages shall not be included in complying with any page limitation requirements as set forth by Commission rule.

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#### § 1.50 Specifications as to briefs.

The Commission's preference is for briefs that are typewritten or prepared by mechanical processing methods. Printed briefs will be accepted only if specifically requested by the Commission. Typewritten or mechanically produced briefs must conform to all of the specifications for pleadings and documents set forth in §1.49.

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#### § 1.51 Number of copies of pleadings, briefs and other papers.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in the Commission's rules and regulations, the number of copies of pleadings, briefs, and other papers to be filed is as follows:

(a) In hearing proceedings, the following number of copies shall be filed:

(1) If the paper filed relates to a matter to be acted upon by the presiding officer or the Chief Administrative Law Judge, an original and 6 copies shall be filed.

(2) If the paper filed relates to matters to be acted on by the Commission, an original and 14 copies shall be filed.

(3) If more than one person presided (is presiding) at the hearing an additional copy shall be filed for each such additional person.

(b) In rulemaking proceedings which have not been designated for hearing, see section 1.419 of this chapter.

(c) In matters other than rule making and hearing cases, the following number of copies shall be filed:

(1) If the paper filed relates to matters to be acted on by the Commission, an original and 4 copies shall be filed. If the matter relates to Part 22 of the rules, see §22.6.

(2) If the paper filed related to matters to be acted on by staff officials under delegated authority, an original and 4 copies shall be filed. If the matter relates to Part 22 of the rules, see §22.6.

(d) Where statute or regulation provides for service by the Commission of papers filed with the Commission, an additional copy of such papers shall be filed for each person to be served.

(e) The parties to any proceeding may, on notice, be required to file additional copies of any or all filings made in that proceeding.

(Secs. 4, 303, 48 Stat., as amended, 1066, 1082; (47 U.S.C. 154, 303))

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#### § 1.52 Subscription and verification.

The original of all petitions, motions, pleadings, briefs, and other documents